Mr. G. Narayana Aiyar: May I know from the Commissioner of Police whether he will see that at least one who is trained in first aid travels in every bus?

Mr. R. Pitchu Aiyangar: That is a matter of future action and will be considered.

Rule regarding the speed of motor vehicles in Trivandrum.

42. ***Mr. T. Mahomed Ismail** (*Nominated*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether there is any rule to regulate the speed of motor cars and motor buses running through the Trivandrum town, and, if so, what is the speed allowed; and

(*b*) is the rule binding only in the case of taxies?

Mr. R. Pitchu Aiyangar: (*a*) Yes; the rule is that no motor vehicle shall be driven in any public place within the limits of a Police Town at a speed exceeding 20 miles per hour and that no motor lorry nor any motor vehicle of which the total weight laden exceeds 2¾ tons or which has a seating capacity for more than 24 persons shall be driven within the limits of a Police Town at a speed exceeding 16 miles per hour.

(*b*) No; all motor vehicles.

Statement, by caste, of Second Class Magistrates.

43. ***Mr. M. S. Anirudhan** (*Karunagapalli, Kartikapalli and Ambalapuzha* cum *Shertala*): Will the Government be pleased to place on the table a statement, by caste, of the Second Class Magistrates in the State?

Rao Bahadur Rajyasevanirata Dr. N. Kunjan Pillai: A statement *furnishing the information is laid on the table.

Statement, by caste, of the constables and head constables.

44. ***Mr. M. S. Anirudhan**: Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement, by caste, of the constables and head constables in the police force and of the C. I. D. staff?

Mr. R. Pitchu Aiyangar: The statement† is laid on the table.

Statement, by caste, of Police Inspectors.

45. ***Mr. M. S. Anirudhan**: Will the Government be pleed to lay on the table a statement, by caste, of the Police Inspectors recruited from 1109 to 1112, Edavam 30?

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† *Vide* Appendix III—page 325.

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Mr. R. Pitchu Aiyangar: The required statement* is laid on the table.

Mr. M. S. Anirudhan: May I know from the member why none of the Ezhavas were recruited to the Police Department from 1109 to 1111 ?

Mr. R. Pitchu Aiyangar: There were no special reasons for that, but I may tell the honourable member that, excepting the Nair and the Brahmin all the other communities are having their onward march in the matter of representation in the Department.

Mr. M. S. Anirudhan: May I know whether there were any applicants from the Ezhava community ?

Mr. R. Pitchu Aiyangar: Yes, Sir.

High-handedness of the Police at Karunagapalli.

46 ***Mr. M. S. Anirudhan:** Will the Government be pleased to state whether they have received any complaint against the high-handedness of the police at Karunagapalli in Edavam and the step, if any, taken by the Government?

Mr. R. Pitchu Aiyangar: Yes, and those concerned were punished.

Recruitment of Palice Inspectors.

47. ***Mr. T. Mahomed Ismail:** Will the Government be pleased to state whether there is any proposal at present to recruit Inspectors of Police, and, if so, how many are going to be recruited and by whom?

Mr. R. Pitchu Aiyangar: Yes : the matter is under the consideration of Government.

Mr. T. Mahomed Ismail: May I know whether Police Inspectors are recruited direct by the department or by the Public Service Commissioner?

Mr. R. Pitchu Aiyangar: The recruitment of Police Inspectors now rests between the Government and the Public Service Commissioner.

Licence for tanning done in Quilon town.

48. ***Mr. N. Abdur Rahiman Sahib:** (*Trivandrum and Nedumangad* cum *Chirayinkil*) ; Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether tanning is done anywhere within the municipal limits of Quilon; and

(*b*) if the answer to part (*a*) is in the affirmative, whether license is obtained for the same?

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